GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4966
ANSWERED ON:20.12.2002
CRECHES FOR THE CHILDREN OF WEAKER SECTION
SUDHA YADAV

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provide financial assistance to set up crÃ¨ches for the children of working and sick mothers belonging to weaker sections of the society;

(b) if so, the number of organizations which were provided assistance for the purpose during each of the last three years; and

(c) the number of such organizations functioning in the country, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI S. B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) & (b) Yes Sir. The number of organizations which were provided assistance for the purpose during each of the last three years is as follows:

Year	No. of Organizations
1999-2000	528
2000-2001	528
2001-2002	591
2002-2003	381

(upto 30-11-2002)

(c) A Statement giving the requisite information is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART(C) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4966 FOR 20.12 RAISED BY DR.(SHRIMATI) SUDHA YADAV, REGARDING `CRECHES FOR THE CHILDREN OF WEAKER SECTION

Statewise number of organizations running crÃ¨ches and getting grant from the Department of Women and Child Development in the Ministry of Human Resources Developent in the year 2002-03 (upto 30-11-2002).

Sl.No.	Name of State/UT	No. of Organisation
1	Andhra Pradesh	123
2	Arunachal Pradesh	-
3	Assam	11
4	Bihar(including Jharkhand)	2
5	Delhi	4
6	Goa	-
7	Gujarat	9
8	Haryana	15
9	Himachal Pradesh	-
10	Karnataka	18
11	Kerala	-
12	Madhya Pradesh (including Chhatisgarh)	27
13	Maharashtra	36
14	Manipur	7
15	Meghalaya	-
16	Mizoram	-
17	Nagaland	-
18	Orissa	10

19 Punjab -
20 Rajasthan 2
21 Sikkim -
22 Tamilnadu 56
23 Tripura -
24 Uttar Pradesh 45
25 Uttaranchal 2
26 West Bengal 14
27 Andaman & Nicobar Islands -
28 Chandigarh -
29 Dadar & Nagar Haveli -
30 Daman & Diu -
31 Lakshadweep -
32 Pondicherry -

Total 381